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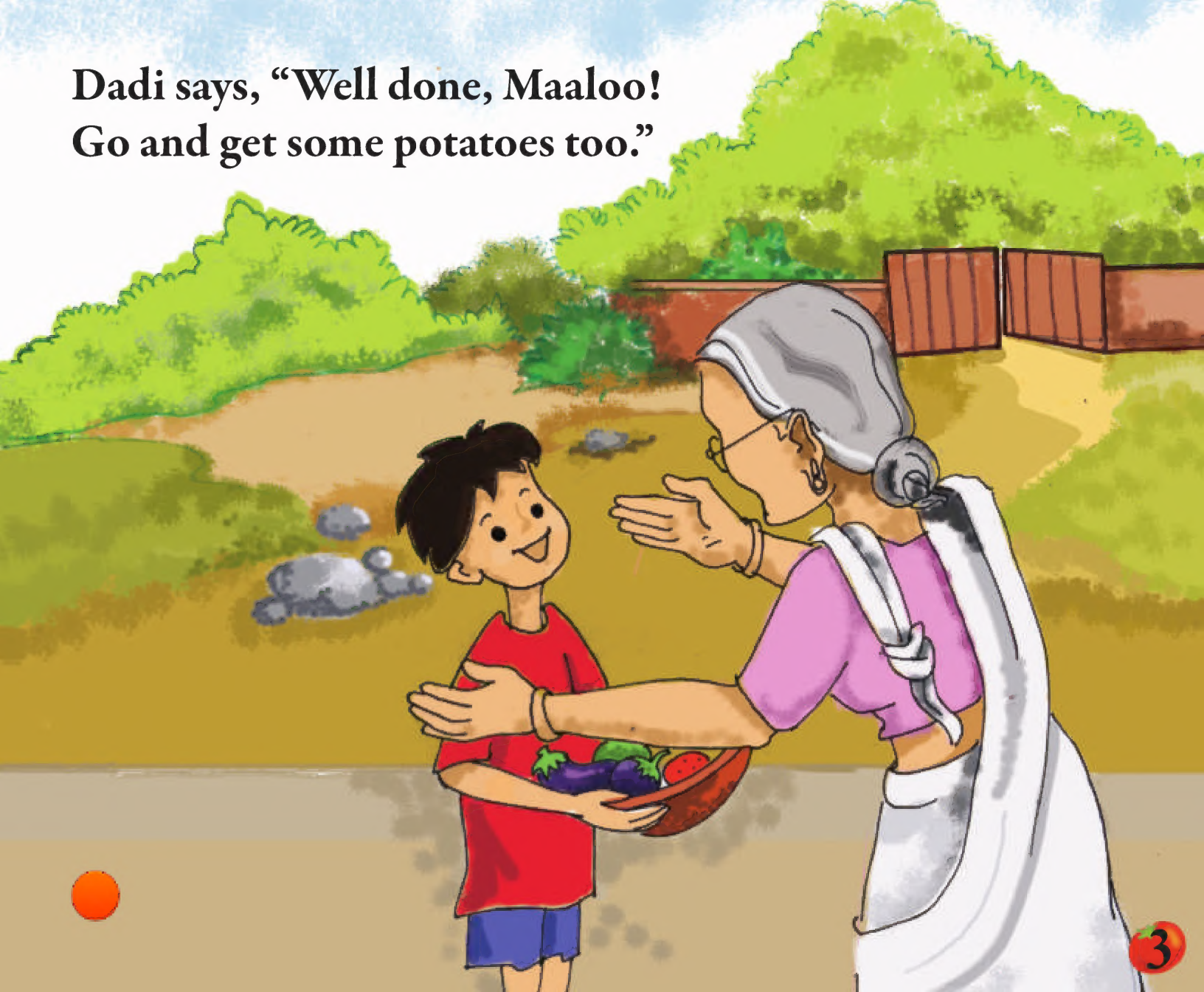




**For the very first time, Maaloo is collecting vegetables from the garden. He has collected red tomatoes, fresh brinjals and green lady's fingers.**



Dadi says, “Well done, Maaloo!  
Go and get some potatoes too.”





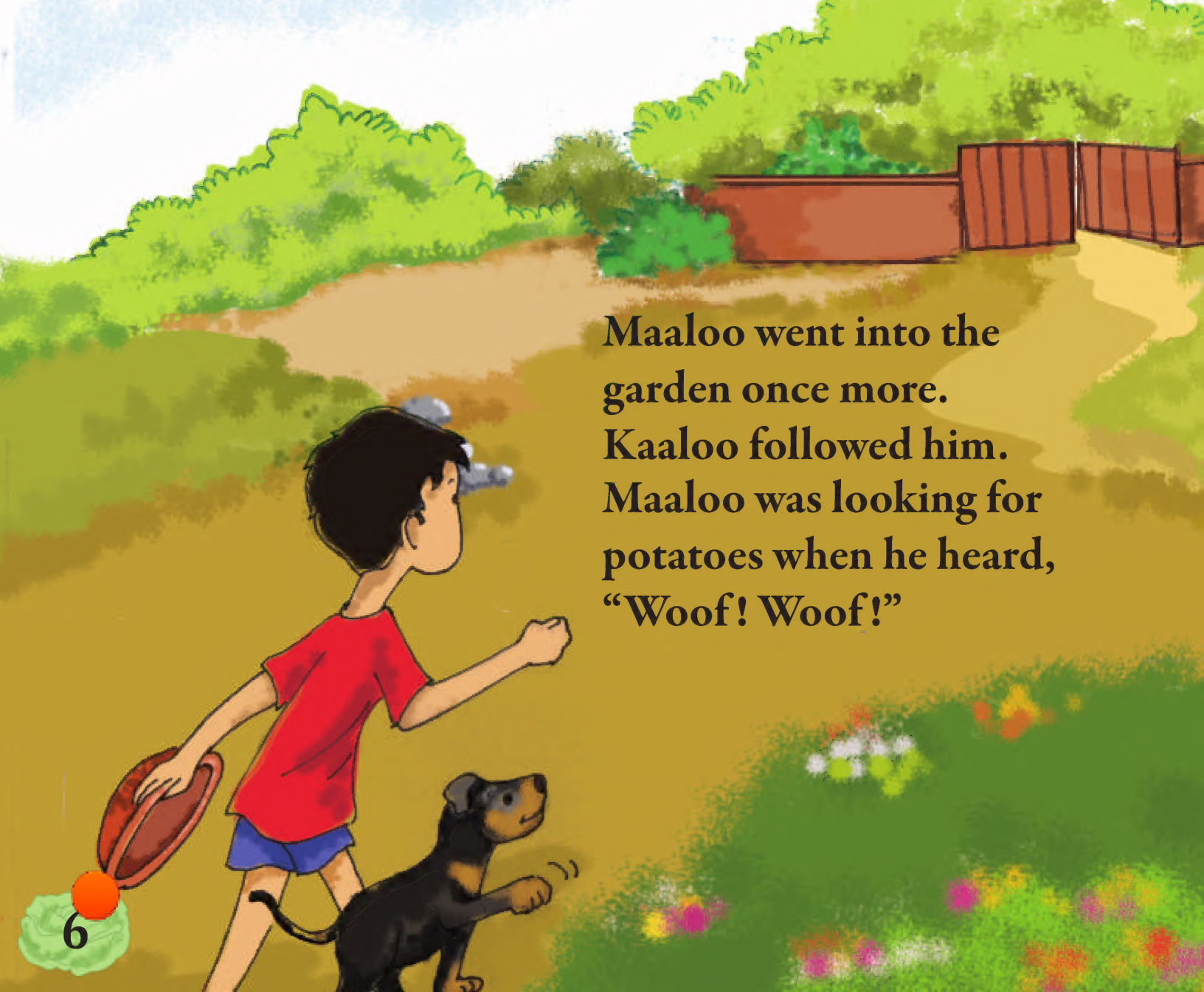


Maaloo looked at all the  
trees, creepers and plants.  
Not a single potato  
could he see.



“Dadi, the potatoes aren’t ready yet,” said Maaloo, putting the empty basket down. “No Maaloo, there are plenty of potatoes. Look carefully,” said Dadi.



A colorful illustration of a young boy with dark hair, wearing a red t-shirt and blue shorts, running along a dirt path. He is holding a brown plate in his left hand. A black dog with tan markings on its face and chest is running alongside him. The background features a lush green garden with various plants and flowers, a red brick wall, and a wooden fence. The sky is blue with some white clouds.

**Maaloo went into the  
garden once more.  
Kaaloo followed him.  
Maaloo was looking for  
potatoes when he heard,  
“Woof! Woof!”**





**“Kaaloo! Stop, Kaaloo!” yelled Maaloo, running behind him.**

**“Don’t spoil the garden.”**

**Maaloo saw that Kaaloo was digging away and what do you think was coming out of**

**the mud?**

**Big fat potatoes!**



**“Well done, Kaaloo. You  
found the potatoes!”  
laughed Maaloo, filling his  
basket with potatoes.**







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**One day Maaloo had to get some potatoes from his kitchen garden.  
Who do you think helped him? Kaaloo, of course! Read about  
Maaloo's morning with Kaaloo as they found some 'Aaloo'!**

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